NREGA in Himachal Pradesh

2614. SHRIMATI VIPLOVE THAKUR: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the district-wise and year-wise details of the number of people who have been given job under NREGA in Himachal Pradesh since the implementation of the scheme;

(b) whether there have been any report of the misuse of funds from the State; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and action taken against the culprits?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) NREGA was implemented in 2 districts of Himachal Pradesh w.e.f. 2.2.2006. It was extended to more two districts from April, 2007. District-wise details of the number of households who have been provided employment under NREGA in Himachal Pradesh for the years 2006-07 and 2007-08 are given in the Statement (*See* below).

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Statement

NREGA: Status of No. of HH Provided employment in Himachal Pradesh

Sl.No.	Districts	2006-07	2007-08
1	Chamba	45903	39089
2	Sirmaur	17611	16149
3	Kangra		79070
4	Mandi		97613
	TOTAL :	63514	231921

Roads under PMGSY in RS Pura block, J&K

2615. SHRI T.S. BAJWA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the detail of roads under PMGSY under proposal and how many has been started in J&K and particularly in RS Pura block;

(b) whether it is a fact that most funds are being allocated for Doda District; and

(c) if so the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL): (a) to (c) Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is being implemented in accordance with the programme guidelines. Each year, district-wise allocation of funds is made by the States based on the priority of road works to be taken as per the programme guidelines. The State Government of Jammu & Kashmir has submitted PMGSY Phase VI proejct proposals for 440 road works for a length of 2259.43 km costing Rs. 1187.02 crores which includes proposal for 3 road works of 4.63 km costing Rs. 135.66 lakhs for RS Pura block in Jammu District. Total value of proposals submitted for Jammu District is Rs. 50.49 crore. Value of proposals submitted for Doda Dsitrict is Rs. 290.67crore. These proposals are being examined. The PMGSY projects are implemented